

WATER USE EFFICIENCY DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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1. What general approach is most appropriate to implement water use efficiency measures: regulatory, market, or a combination?
2. Should water use efficiency serve as the primary approach for one alternative, or should it be an adjunct to all the alternatives?
3. Should the level of water use efficiency vary among the range of CALFED alternatives, or should all the alternatives include a "floor" or base level of efficient use? If there is a base level common to all alternatives, how should it be set? Are urban Best Management Practices and agricultural Efficient Water Management Practices the appropriate levels of effort for water conservation measures?
4. Should water use efficiency measures be specified in alternatives, or should a target level of reduced demand be specified and the selection of measures left to water users?